CURRENT NEWS.

John L. Frisbie, of Michigan, has been ap-cointed Consul at Rio Grande, Brazil. The President has removed Gen. Chester A. Arthur, Collector of Customs at the Port of New York, and appointed Gen. E. A. lerritt, present Surveyor of the Port, in his stead. He has also removed A. B. Cornell, Naval Officer, and appointed as his successor Silas W. Burt, present Deputy Naval Officer. The deposed officials were adher-

ents of Senator Conkling.
The President has appointed Alexander Reed, of Ohio, Receiver of Public Moneys at Walla Walla, Washington Territory; Elliot C. Jewett, of Missouri, Commissioner to the Paris International Exposition; Casper
A. Stibolt, of Iowa, Consul at Campeachy,
Mexico; Eugene Schuyler, Consul at BirAt Amsterdam, N. Y., on the 10th, a large

WEST AND SOUTHWEST.

The official returns of the California election give the following as the composition of the Constitutional Convention: Non-partisans, 81; Workingmen, 52; Republicans, 11; Democrats, 6; Independents 2. The Non-partisans elect all delegates at

A contract has been closed for completing the Texas Pacific Railroad from Sherman to

The Bear Paw Mountains, where the new gold mines have been discovered, are 100 miles long and 40 miles wide, and extend from the Missouri River to within 70 miles. or less, of the boundary line. It is supposed there are rich quartz veins as well as placer

The Missouri Democratic State Conven tion, held at Jefferson City on the 10th, nominated Hon. E. H. Norton for Supreme Judge, James E. McHenry for Register of Lands, R. D. Shannon for Superintendent of Schools, and A. M. Sevier for Railroad Commissioner. The platform adopted demands the sub-titution of Government legal ten-ders for national bank notes, such issue of Government money to be a full legal tender for all debts, public and private, except where otherwise provided by law, and to be used by the Government in the purchase and retirement of interest-bearing bonds; the unrestricted coinage of silver, and the unconditional repeal of the Resumption act. The platform also declares its op-position to any further contraction of the currency, and to a protective tariff. The dethe Presidential incumbency is regarded as a finality, but that decision, it is held, should not prevent a full investigation of the alleged frauds connected with the election, and which the Electoral Commission wrongfully refused to inquire into. A liberal appropriation by the Government for the improvement of the Mississippi and its trib-utaries is demanded, as both just and expe-

tiles on the 8th near the head of Butler Creek, charged upon them three times, eattering their forces, and capturing their rovisions, ammunition and camp material. The fighting was quite severe, but the only the amount of stamps canceled in each office, casualties reported are five men wounded not upon that sold. The brunt of the battle was borne

nighly complimented for their bravery. The Michigan Demorratic State Conven-tion, held at Detroit on the 10th, adopted resolutions declaring gold and silver coin to be The the money of the Constitution, and that all paper currency should be convertible into coin at the option of the holder, and depre-cating any further forcible reduction of the currency. The Potter Investigating Comnittee is endorsed. Orlando M. Barnes was

Charles Jacobs, one of the editors of the Quincy (Mich.) Greenbacker, shot himself, probably fatally, on the 8th, on account of domestic infelicity.

Two daughters of Hugh Thompson, aged 11 and 17, were drowned at Wemer, Mich., while bathing on the 7th.

A daughter of Wm. Ryan, aged 12, living near Omro, Mich., was burned to death on the evening of the 8th, while attempting to kindle the fire with kerosene. A young man named Crook, living in an adjacent town, was also dangerously burned in the

A d-year-old boy, son of a Steubenville (O.) saloon-keeper named John Slaughtery, was fatally injured on the 10th by the ex-plosion of a partially filled whisky barrel. The barrel had been standing in the heat of be sun, and it is supposed an explosive gas was generated which was ignited by a mate in the hands of the boy, who, it is thought, was sitting on the barrel and perhaps threw the match into the bung-hole. The ellow died from his inturies.

At Galesburg, Ill., on the 12th, Mrs. Spale ng, the divorced wife of Martin O'Con well known citizen, shot him with a revolver. the ball passing near the heart and causing almost instant death. She then shot herself, imost instant death. Satally, it is presumed. Severe rain storms on the 11th and 12th

sused much injury to the growing crops in portions of Iowa, Wisconsin, Ohio and In-

By direction of the Secretary of War, Board of Engineers and Officers is constituted to take into consideration the im-provement of the low-water navigation of the Mississippi and Missouri Rivers, and to submit a plan therefor, together with a re-commendation for the most practical meas-ures to be adopted from time to time in order to secure its earliest and most economical completion. The Board will consist of Col. F. G. Barnard, Col. Z. B. Tower, and Lieut. -Col. H. G. Wright, assisted by Col. F. Board will assemble in the City of St. Louis on the 14th of August next, or as soon there-

and drowned them all and then herself. She left a note to her husband, saving she was used of a crime of which she was innocent. Lieut John A. Rucker was drowned in Arions on the 12th, while attempting to rescue a comrade, Lieut. Austin Henley, who was

prave and successful soldiers. The Arkansas Greenback State Conven tion, held at Little Rock on the 13th, ap-

pointed a State Central Committee, author

Warren, O., is another victim to kerosene

the hostiles near Cayuse Station, about six miles from Pendleton, Oregon, on the 14th. which lasted several hours, but was without deci-ive result, further than to hold the lat- Bishop Ravelles and other French missionter in check until Col. Bernard come up with reinforcements, which were expected on the The main body of the hos- has been made for their rescue. tiles seemed to be in that loc lity, although it was reported a portion had crossed the Columbia River. The settlers in the valley formally signed by all the plenipotentiaries h dali fled to Pendleton, where fortifications The proceedings terminated with a grand

CHARITON COURIER.

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KEYTESVILLE, CHARITON COUNTY, MO., SATURDAY, JULY 20, 1878.

sey Penitentiary and to pay the costs of the

Norwich, Conn., was greatly excited on

broom factory in process of construction was blown to the ground by a hurricane, burying nine men in the ruins, three of whom were fatally injured.

A bricklayer named White was struck by ightning while working on a church tower in Forty-seventh Street, New York City, or the 10th. He fell dead to the pavement, distance of 60 feet below.

The accounts of the late State Treasure of Georgia, John Jones, are said to show a deficit of \$253,000, for which suit has been brought against his securities.

At Brooklyn, N. Y., on the-11th, Mrs. Margaret Wash, aged 30, and her daughter, aged s, were burned to death by the explosion of kerosene lamp, which the mother was using in pouring oll on a fire in order to hasten the flames.

James A Long (colored), son of ex-Congressman Long, is under arrest at Macon, Ga., charged with robbing the mails while eting as mail-agent.

Mike Shaw "as hanged at Milledgeville Ga., on the 12th, for wife-murder; and Hiram Fooks (colored) was on the same day hanged at Wilmington, Del., for the murder of John Tyler, also colored. Henry Wise was hanged at Walterboro, S.

3., on the 12th, for the murder of Mercer rown, his rival in a love affair. Thomas Ballard, known as the "King of Counterfeiters," committed suicide in the Albany (N. Y.) Peniteutiary on the 11th, by tabbing himself with a shoemaker's knife.

The officials at the Indian Bureau in Vashington discredit the reports regarding the large number of Indians on the warpath in the Northwest, and say that there are not really over 200 all told who are engaged in the revolt. Gen. Sheridan is to take personal com-

it is reported, has been subjected to another interview and recanted her recent statements regarding the killing of her husband

At the recent session of Congress a change was made in the laws regulating the com-pensation of Postmasters of the fourth class. The change makes the salaries depend upon

the western part of the British Pos Denver, Colorado, and northern and east ern Texas, entering the Gulf of Mexico, to eclipse over all the United States, and British America that afternoon.

Gen. Sherman has issued a general order of instruction to Army officers, in con-formity with the recent act of Congress for-bidding the use of the Army as a posse com-

Jefferson Davis made an address at New Orleans, on the 10th, the occasion being the tificate of membership of the Association of the Army of the Tennessee. He reiterated his unshaken belief in the right of secession and the duty of a citizen to battle for the cause of the State, and charged that "every evil which has befallen our institutions is irectly traceable to the perversion of the ompact of the union and the usurpation by the Federal Government of undelegated powers." The recent excessively hot weather was

productive of numerous fatal cases of suntroke in St. Louis, Cincinnati and other

FOREIGN.

Hoedel, who attempted the life of the Em-

Cyprus, the island which Turkey has just eded to Great Britain, in return for a guarntee of protection of Turkish dominions in Asia on the part of the latter, and to which a British force has already sailed, is the most eastern of the Mediterranean islands, lying midway between Asia Minor and Syria. Its length is about 148 miles, and width—except in the northeast extremity, where it narrows to 15 miles—about 40 miles. Its area about 4,500 square miles, and present population 110,000, the majority of whom re Greeks, though there is a large number f Turks. It has been under the rule of the Turks for more than 300 years, having been taken by them from the Venetians. Under the Venetians the island had at one time a splendor and prosperity, but has greatly de-clined under the Turks, though of late years its prosperity has somewhat increased. It has great natural resources, and if these were developed by an enterprising people it might regain much of its old-time fame. Its importance to England, as a military base of operations, both for enforcing the operations of the treaty and for guarding

Wales, dated July 11, says that two tribes of natives have risen against the Government in the island of New Caledonia, and massaered 125 whites, including women and chil-

Canada, on account of the proposed Orange parade on the 12th, were probably averted by the strong stand taken by the Mayor in orbidding the procession, backed up by from various parts of the Dominion. The Orangemen finally consented to abandon their parade in the interest of the public peace, the Mayor assuring them protection to their homes. Several of the leaders were arrested upon warrants charging them with were subsequently released on bail. Orangemen and their friends complain bitfusing to grant them permission and protec-

tion for their parade. The discovery has just been made tha aries are held confined in the capital of

The Berlin Peace Congress terminated its sessions on the 13th, when the Treaty was court dinner at Whitehall Palace, at which all the plenipotentiaries were present save At Chicago, on the 14th, Jeremiah Kenne- Beaconsfield and Gortschakoff. The Crown

killing her instantly, and then shot himself in the vicinity of the heart, also fatally. Poverty and domestic discord are supposed to have instigated the act.

EAST AND SOUTHEAST.

The Citizens' Savings Bank of Pittsburg, Pa., has gone into bankruptey. Liabilities about \$150,000, and assets not over one-half that amount.

**Benjamin Noyes, President of the National Life Insurance Company of Washington, D. C., convicted of conspiracy to defraud the policy-holders of the New Jersey Mutual, has been sentenced to 18 months imprisonment at hard labor in the New Jersey Mutual, has been sentenced to 18 months imprisonment at hard labor in the New Jersey Mutual, has been sentenced to 18 months imprisonment at hard labor in the New Jersey Mutual, has been sentenced to 18 months imprisonment at hard labor in the New Jersey Mutual, has been sentenced to 18 months imprisonment at hard labor in the New Jersey Mutual, has been sentenced to 18 months imprisonment at hard labor in the New Jersey Mutual, has been sentenced to 18 months imprisonment at hard labor in the New Jersey Mutual, has been sentenced to 18 months imprisonment at hard labor in the New Jersey Mutual, has been sentenced to 18 months imprisonment at hard labor in the New Jersey Mutual, has been sentenced to 18 months imprisonment at hard labor in the New Jersey Mutual, has been sentenced to 18 months imprisonment at hard labor in the New Jersey Mutual, has been sentenced to 18 months imprisonment at hard labor in the New Jersey Mutual, has been sentenced to 18 months in the New Jersey Mutual, has been sentenced to 18 months in the New Jersey Mutual, has been sentenced to 18 months in the New Jersey Mutual, has been sentenced to 18 months in the New Jersey Mutual, has been sentenced to 18 months in the New Jersey Mutual, has been sentenced to 18 months in the New Jersey Mutual, has been sentenced to 18 months in the New Jersey Mutual, has been sentenced to 18 months in the New Jersey Mutual, has been sentenced to 18 months in the New Jersey Mutual, has bee ence to his (Sherman's) offer to furnish evidence as to intimidation, etc., in East Feliciana, and in reply to the letter of Mr. Potter, heretofore published, annuming the determination of the Committee not to go over the ground travelsed by former Congressional Committees. Mr. Shorman cites the fact that the Potter Committee have already admitted evidence tending to disprove that fraud and violence existed in the parish, and complains that he is denied the privilege of introducing evidence in rebuttal. He also states that he is now prepared, at the convenience of the Committee, to submit testimony to repel the charges made against him pel*gonally, and his given his counsel, Mt. shellabarger, a list of wirnessee whom he asks to be subpœnaed. Ex-Gov. Kellogg, of Louisiana, was ex-

with an individual was activated.

First Plackard elected as fairly as the Hayesgenerally and the state of the state of

sir; on the contrary, if any one has any let-ters written by me bearing on the election, I hope they will not delay in publishing the same. The sooner the better. further continued on the 13th. He had no

The Louisiana Sub-Committee mmittee up to the 11th, is as follows: R

E. L. Weber was further examined on the 12th. Cross-examined by Mr. Cox in relation to his connection with the Legislature and his absence from the Packard Senate for ten his absence from the Packard Senate for ten days, the witness stated his object was to elect Pinchback United States Senator; Pinchback paid the witness \$1,000 for expenses. The witness then explained his return later to the Packard Senate, and submitted a portion of \$1,000 of warrants on the State Treasury received from Fwitchell as security of good faith to carry out the scheme of passing the appropriation bill of \$500,000 out of which Insane Asylum claims for \$10,000 held by the witness were to be paid. The witness failing to get his claims cashed, by reason of the collapse of he Packard Government, retained collaterals without being able to give any very good reason why he should retain them. The witness said 10 Senators were interested in the \$500,000 scheme, and Packard promised the bill, when passed, should become a law. The witness stated that he was a member of an association in the Senate in 1875-6, which included Gov. Antoine, T. C. Anderson, Twitchell, Burch and others, for corrupt purposes. There were 19 of them. They received \$30,000 for passing the Levee bill, and \$20,000 of the money. Twitchell was President and T. C. Anderson Treasurer of the association.

Missouri Democratic Platform

Following is the platform adopted by the Missouri Democratic State Convention, held at Jefferson City on July 10:

The Democratic party of Missouri, in convention assembled, declares its confidence is and unshaken adherence to the green principles of Democratic representative government, its devotion to the National Union and Constitution with its amendments thereto, its unswery to the great

is now prepared, at the convenience of the charges made against him personally, and has given his counsel, Mr. Sheliabarger, a list of winnesses whom he asks to be subposned.

Ex-Gov. Kellogg, of Louisiana, was examined before the Poiter Committies on the lith. In answer to inquiries propounded by Gen. Butler, he expressed his opinion that Packard was legally elected Governor, together with a majority of Republican members of the face of the returns the Democrats had a majority, but the Returning Board threw out enough parishes, on account of alleged intimidation, to change the result in favor of the Republicans. Gen. Butler produced tables compiled from Returning Board threw out enough parishes, on account of alleged intimidation, to change the result in favor of the Republicans. Gen. Butler produced tables compiled from Returning Board threw out parishes and precins until they had succeded in securing a majority of Hayes elect the General Assembly, it was found there were still two Hayes Electors to the Returning Board threw out parishes and precins until they had succeded in securing a majority of Hayes accorded in securing a majority of Hayes Content of the Returning Board threw out parishes and precins until they had accorded in securing a majority of Hayes accorded in securing a majority of Hayes Content of the Returning Board threw out parishes and precins until they had accorded in securing a majority of Hayes Content of the Returning Board threw out parishes and precins until they had accorded in securing a majority of Hayes Content of the Returning Board threw out parishes and precins until they had accorded in securing a majority of Hayes Content of the Returning Board threw out parishes and precins of the produced the content of the Returning Board threw out parishes and precins of the produced threw out parishes and precins of the produced threw out parishes and precins of the

ple of the Mississippi Valley demands that appropriations shall be made for the improvement of the Mississippi River and its tributaries commensurate with the commercial wants and interests of the section of the country, and, believing in the constitutional power of the Government to aid in the construction of national enterprises, which serve to benefit large sections of the country, and which can not be accomplished by individual enterprise or State action, we favor such legislation in this behalf as will not increase the national indebtedness or impose any additional burdens upon the people. Such a policy, in our opinion, whilst it would cheapen the cost of transportation and add to our agricultural wealth, would afford remunerative employment to the surplus labor of the country.

lic peace.

II. That reform must be made in National, State and Municipal governments by the reduction of expenditures and taxes, the dismissal of unnecessary and incompetent officers and employees, and the strict enforcement of official responsibility.

12 In the language of the Indiana Democracy, we declare that the jurisdiction claimed and exercised by the Circuit Couris of the United States upon questions of private snd individual rights arising under the laws of the States tends to oppress and burden litigants to such an extent as to amount to a practical denial of justice in unany cases, and we consider the legislation which has conferred such jurisdiction as unwi-e and hurtful to the true interests of the people, and we demand such legislation as will restrict and limit the jurisdiction of such courts to such matters as are clearly contemplated by the Constitution and expressed in the Judiciary act of 1788.

13. We favor and invite immigration to our State from all sections of the country.

Things That I Wonder At.

Why the boys who made the Fourth of July odorous and hideous with gunpowder from 1840 to 1856, inclusive, are speechless with indignation at the deprayed and vicious tastes of the boys ho want to enjoy the same kind of a quality.

elebration in 1878? Why people always discuss Europea as though they understood

Why a man should always get mad i you frankly and for his own good tell him he is making an ass of himself? Why it is so hard to find a man when ou want to borrow money of him? Why it is so hard to borrow the money

after you have found him? Why somebody doesn't come out an Why a man always wishes he had chosen some other profession?

that she means by it? Why a man is always going to take vacation "next summer? Why people should consider it dis raceful to be sent to Congress? Why a man thinks every year that he won't be as big a fool this year as he

And why he is, though, all the same? Why the tramps don't ask for some- of sugar. thing to eat, if they are hungry? Why a man never tries to beat down the price of a railroad ticket?

Why every body affects a profound knowledge of growing crops and crop Why men always lie about the size of the fish they catch and the number of

ducks they shoot? What a girl ever sees in a great selfish, deceitful, hulking animal of a man to marry him for, any how? Why so many foreigners should speak German or French, when it is so much easier to speak English?

takes five grown people to take one sleeping infant to the circus to "see the animals?" Why a man who doctors himself with atent medicines, three bottles for a dollar, always, in referring to his health, speaks of "his physicians" as though were constantly attended by a retinue

Why it is wrong to kill the man who says he told you so? Why really generous men are always so ready to admit that you were in the wrong?—Hawkeye Burdette.

of 50 or 60 doctors?

Robert How, a citizen of Carrollton, O., aged about 60 years, while picking cherries fell from a tree, striking on his head and shoulders, breaking his spread of Christianity in the district of neck and killing him almost instantly. Tinnerelly, British India, 16,000 per-

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Personal and Literary. -Joaquin Miller is again in England, and a few hours after his reappearance in London received a cordial letter of

-Mrs. Francis Hodgson Burnett has written a Lancashire story called Ha-worth's, which is said by those who have seen the manuscript to be as good as That Lass o' Lowrie's.

\$3,000 out of their profits, and propose to do the same every year, for a fund for workmen who remain long in their mile east of Eikhart, Ind., was kicked to death by a horse. -They say Bob Ingersoll made more - A 5-year-old daughter of Reuben Revnoney by lecturing last season than any other lecturer, beating Beecher and Joe nolds of Stanford, Ry. fell into a kettle Cook both. His fees as a lawyer are of boiling water, and wife stalded dead.

-Rryant remarked to a young man some years since: "One of the first objects of a literary man should be to acquire an independence; his genius never loes its best so long as it is a mere drudge of his necessities.'

-"Mark Twain" has sent for his pas tor, the Rev. Jos. H. Twichell, of Hartford, Conn., to go over to Europe and spend some weeks with him in a pedestrian tour through Germany and Switzerland. It is not to cost Mr.

I wichell a cent. —It is a striking proof of the world-wide interest felt in Mr. Stanley's discoveries that the English edition of his "Through the Dark Continent" ap
"Through the Dark Continent" ap-

China paper will be used for the steel causing death in 20 minutes. and copper plates, and the very best artists, engravers and printers will lend their aid in producing the finest set of books ever published in any country.

-The New Orleans mint will be used to coin money for South American

-Farmers in South Georgia thin they have discovered a bonanza in the ltivation of the Chinese sand-pear. -- Ice is regarded as a prime necessi ty at Bombay, and the supply is received from this country, being shipped chief-

ly from Boston. -A big deposit of ice has been found in the Olympic Mountains, in Washingon Territory, and it can be brought to Seattle at a cost of \$5 a ton. Ice now

-A new enemy to the potato has appeared in West Virginia. bles a small grasshopper, and destroys whole patches in a single night by stinging the plant near the ground.

Cubans employed in them are going back to Havana Cause, a strike and in-terference of United States revenue offi--Parsnips contain almost twice as

much dry matter or real food as tur-nips, and this of a superior quality. dry substance as mangolds, but are richer in sugar and of better feeding

latter the blood can not be in a natural

have in use 3,500,000 car-wheels. Those on fast passenger trains are renewed every 10 months; but freight cars use the same wheels sometimes 10 years. The average life of a wheel is 50,000 miles and at that rate it takes 700,000 a year at a cost, less the old wheels, of

-Strawberries contain 5.86 per cent their weight of glucose, or grape sugar, cherries 10, white currants 6.40 and hot-house grape 18.37; pineapples on the other hand, contain 11.33 per cent. of cane sugar, apricots, 6, and oranges 4. The sugar cane, when perfectly ripe, contains 18 per cent. o sugar; beet contains about 14 per cent

School and Church.

-Cornell graduates a class of 70 this year, of whom seven are women. -The "Disciples," generally called

-Rev. Dr. J. H. Vincent, the great American Sunday-school man, who has just gone abroad, will hold a Sundaychool Congress at Rome. It will be the first ever held on the continent of Europe.

Hickman, with P. G. Halyburton as President. The faculty consists of seven chairs, and a first-class preparatory de--The colored Baptists of the South

re trying to help themselves to a better

education. They are making efforts to

brate their centennial in August or Sep -There is a report of a remarkable

sons having, in seven months, placed themselves "under instructions with a view to Baptism;" but the Madras Mail

throws doubt on the report, saying that the first news of the affair came from

-The Roman Catholic system

retreats" has gained an acceptance

in the English State Church, according

to Harper's Weekly, which would hard ly be supposed by those who do not closely watch the course of events. Twenty-four or twenty-five are an-

matted that four hundred clergymen of

Haps and Mishaps.

-Peter E. Rush, a farmer living one

-Robert Cummins died at Coskey

Station, Ky., on the day set for his wedding, from an overdose of morphine,

-At Waverly, O., James Funk, a painter, fell off a scaffolding, a distance

-At East Davenport, Iowa, Barte-

mus Hansel was asisting in moving a

-Mattie Matthews, a beautiful young

ady of 17, committed suicide near Den-

One of the most attractive and pop

the display of the superb Pullman pal-

ace and sleeping cars in the American

-A jeweler in the Paris Exhibition

shows a necklace which purports to be a mixture of true pearls and false, and challenges any body to single out the

the Trocadero, the Algerian Palace is said to be the most extensive and cost-

ly. The total space covered by it is

-Forty years ago it was feared that

throned by the Orangemen in favor of her cousin, the ex-King of Hanover, who

-The Emperor of Brazil hasn't

enough of travel yet. He is going to Paris for the Exhibition, and has en-gaged for July the rooms in the Grand

-The Parisian man never gives up

his seat in the car to a woman. A cor-respondent thought one day he discov-

ered an exception, as two men jumped up and offered their seats to two standing

women. He was undeceived when one

f the polité passengers remarked to the

... The cemetery in Munich is a sight

sons waiting the lapse of three days re-

day costumes and placed in careless or

half-reclining attitudes, amid fresh flow-

wire leading to a spring bell, so that an

Poetical Odds and Ends.

"Only a tress of woman's hair."
The boarder pensively did mutte
"And yet I think its hardly fair,
To give it to us in our buter."

Over earth doth wing.
As a general thing
The tom cats with rapture clamorous,
And at that hour, fragrant, chaste and mut
We hear the dire fiend practicing on his flut
—Wild Oats.

And the batter but as he oughter should,
Adown the slope were the fielder fold
A liner, hot as a hornet wung,
And atween the optics a bang,
As bounteous as a hogshead's bung,
Vonbers Gazette.

-Yonkers Ga: A boy stood back on the gallery floor,

A boy stood back on the gailery floor,
At the naughty female-show,
And cast his earnest glances o'er
Bald headed sin below.
"I'm too far back," he sadly said;
Yet he dared not forward go,
For he saw his aged father's head
First in the foremost row.

—Philadelphia Mirror.

"What's the difference?" said she,
"Between the moon and you?"
"I can not tell, my treasured one,"
Said he with int'rest new.
"The difference is this," said she,
With satire of a Junius,
"The moon hath silvery quarters, love,

The moon hath silvery quarters, love, While you are impecuations."

White you are impecunious."

— Fonkers Gazette.

He sits on the stoop; 'tis a bright moonligh

He sits on the stoop; 'is a bright mooning the night,
And a kiss from her sweet lips he begs;
But his trowsers are not of the style that is tight,
And the cockroaches crawl up his legs.
He pauses a moment then wildly he grasps Simultane only, both of his limbs;
"I've get 'em," says he. "Oh. good gracious!" she gasps,
"Don't tell me, dear George, you've the jims!"

"Ball to the bat," the vampire said,
As face to face the foemen stood;
Then the pitcher putch, and the

lotel now occupied by the Shah.

out 2,532 square meters.

Of all the buildings in the Park of

ular features of the Paris Exhibit

section.

ver, Col., by shooting herself with a naty

mistaken for quinle.

of 30 feet, and was killed.

nounced to take place by the end of November next. Some of them are for candidates for holy orders. It is esti-

welcome from Mr. Gladstone. -Poe's sweetheart, the late Sarah Helen Whitman, leaves a volume of poems that will shortly be published, ong with a revision of her essay, "Poe

-The Cassells, the English publish-

the Establishment will go into retreat ers, have set apart for the year 1878 during this season.

also said to be enormous. In the goods of this world Bob is getting rich.

costs \$80 a ton there.

-Three of the largest tobacco facto ries in Key West have closed, and the

other: "Brown, do you remember that night at Wallack's?" They were Amer-Carrots, again, contain about as much for the visitor, for in buildings erected for the purpose may be seen dead per-

-Salt is very important for animals quired by law before burial. None of the gloom of the grave surrounds these remains, but they are attired in every-Large pieces of rock salt put into the mangers and feeding-troughs are rec-ommended. One-half the ash of animal blood consists of salt; without the

ers. To the hand of each is attached a -The railroads of the United Stat

Thou hast this season to —Puc.

Peach!

"Come wife," said Will, "I pray you dev
Just haif a minute to mend this coat,
Which a nail has chaseed to rend."

"Tis 10 o'clock," said his drowsy mate.
"I know," said Will, "it is rather late,
But it's never too late to mend."

When night serene and amorous.

With its lovely moonbeams glamorous.

Over earth doth wing;
As a general taing

Campbellites, have just opened their

-A college has been organized a

preachers in Louisville, Ky., and a theo ogical seminary in Alabama. -The Methodists of Canada, who be oan their existence as a church in 1778 ust 12 years after Philip Embury and Barbara Heck had introduced the faith into the United States, intend to cele

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Map-makers. [From the New York Sun.]

Now that the work of the represent

Biographical Sketches of the Emin

Chariton Conrier.

ed and learned Greek, who has always been in the diplomatic service, and oc-cupies now the post of Minister of Public Works. He speaks French and English quite fluently, but seems to be too modest and timid a man to be able sucatives of European diplomacy has actu-ally begun, it may not be uninteresting to glance at some of the distinguished cessfully to negotiate with people of the stamp of those with whom he sits in the Congress. At home, it is said, his wife,

passage of the Danube by the Russian troops he was appointed to the post of Commander-in-Chief of the Army of Shumla. After the fail of Shipka he was replaced by Suleiman Pasha.

France is represented by her Minister of Foreign Affairs, William Henry Wad-Grey," is now the Earl of Beaconsneid, Grand Vizier of Great Britain and a probable Duke. His start in political probable Duke. His start in political life was marked by a series of failures, notably his maiden speech when he succeeded at last in obtaining a seat in Parliament for the borough of Maidstone. The House of Commons retused to listen to him. He simply said: "I am not surprised at the reception I dington, and by the Count de Saint Vallier. The former is a Frenchified Englishman, educated at Cambridge, and thoroughly English in his habits and views. He is a profound student of numismatics and a literary man of dis-tinction. He entered political life only in 1871. Thiers appointed him Minis-ter of Public Instruction, a post which have experienced. I have begun several things, and I have often succeeded at last. I shall sit down now; but the time will come when you will near me." They have heard him. He was then 32 years

house, when the supports gave way, dropping the sill across his breast, and erushing him to death.

of age; he is 72 now.

The Lieutenant of Lord Beaconsfield is the Marquis of Salisbury (Robert Arinst October. plomatist of the routine kind. He is young (43) handsome, elegant, and a thur Talbot Gascoyne Cecil, P. C.), Earl of Salisbury, County Wilts; Vis-count Cranborne, County Dorset; and Baron Cecil of Essendine, County Rutman of social culture. He has always been in the diplomatic service. He

Pozzo di Borgo, speaks half a dozen languages, is an indefatigable worker, and is very fond of the ballet His elding experiment it invites-the forma tion, for the first time in our history, of a European colony .- London Specia-

After all, these Virginia City miners have big, generous hearts. The other evening one of them, who was finishing up a week's spree in 'Frisco, stepped out of the Palace after dinner, and ran against a haggard-looking, shabby-genteel woman who was weeping upon s corner. "What is the matter, marm!" corner. "What is the matter, She told said the miner respectfully. She told him a sad story—poverty, sickness, a large family of children, nothing to do, "Is that the best only early experience in diplomacy was at the Paris Congress, which he attend-ed as an attache of Prince Orloff, the nothing to wear. "Is that the best frock you've got?" said the rough fel-low, gently. She said it was. He felt in his pocket. It contained one twenty, which he had intended to devote to wine low of progressive ideas, and a sincere and wickedness that evening. "Stop here a moment, marm," and he dodged friend of peace.

The chief representative of Austria is Count Julius Andrassy, the youngest of the plenipotentiaries. He is barely 55, around the corner and into a dry-goo store. In a few minutes he returned and, pressing a small bundle into the poor woman's hand, disappeared with the air of a man who had done a kind He was born at Zemlin, Hungary. His father, though belonging to a noble family, devoted himself to industrial action gracefully. The starving woman eagerly undid the package. It contain-ed a pair of embroidered silk stockings. pursuits, and so did the son. When the

Methodist churches in the East to do away with the arbitrary rule which limturm of his county. The defeat of the revolutionists forced him to seek refuge its the time which a minister may rein Paris and London, and it was only after the amnesty of 1857 that he was enabled to return to his native country. In 1860 he joined the party of Deak, and was elected Vice-President of the Diet.

individuals to whose deliberations the settlement of the Eastern question, and of the fate of the Turkish Empire, is innee Aristarchi, is much more of a Minister than he is.

Mehemet Ali Pasha is already known in this country. He is a German by birth, and a Frenchman by descent. Of the main figure of the Congress there is little to say. His life and career His father's name was Detroit. The famous Ali Pasha took a fancy to the a poor and modest literary tuan, Benjaboy, and brought him up with all the care he could have bestowed upon his n Disraeli followed in the footsteps of his father, so far as regards poverty and literary ability, but certainly not in the flittler of modesty. The obscure He-brew who came forward some fifty odd own son. His first military success was in the war with Montenegro. After the passage of the Danube by the Russian years ago as the author of "Vivian Grey," is now the Earl of Beaconsfield,

he has since occupied several times. He has held his present office only since

The Count de Saint Vallier is a di-

any language, having been in the diplomatic service all his life, and having used his best efforts to pick up the tongues of the various countries he has lived in. He is the youngest son of Maj. Gen. Lord George William Russell, second son of the Duke of Bedford, and was raised to the rank of a Duke's son could be protected by the State with any by royal warrant in 1872. He entered the service in 1849, and has ever since occupied prominent positions in the diplomatic and social centers of Austria, France, Italy, Turkey and Germany. Some years ago he was a member of the British Embassy in this country. In 1870 he filled, for a short time, the post of Under Secretary of State for Foreign reach perfection. The tobacco reach perfection. The tobacco plant and the apple will grow in Cyprus almost side by side. With a little care and energy in the formation of tanks, on the South India of Under Secretary of State for Foreign The chief representatives of Russia are Prince Gortschakoff and Count Schouvaloff. The former is 80 and the latter about 55 years of age. Prince Gortschakoff is a descendant of an an-Cyprus would have all the natural adcient stock of Russian nobility. He was educated, with the great national poet of his country, Alexander Pouschkin, at the Lyceum of Czarskoe-Selo, a kind of vantages of Jamaica, a better climate and a population now degraded indeed but once among the most industrious and enterprising in the world. Within Russian Eton. The two friends were 10 years, in Anglo-Indian hands, the isamong the first matriculants of that col-lege. After having graduated he enterland would pay all expenses, provide much of the wood needed for the dock-yards, and be in a fair way toward that lege. After having graduated he enter-ed the diplomatic service, and began his ed the diplomatic service, and began his career at the Congresses of Laybach and Verona as one of the clerks of the late Count Nesselrode. In 1824 he was Secretary of the Russian Embassy in London; in 1830 he was Charge d'Affaires at Florence; in 1840 by want of freedom, and declining in number through want of the means of the Grand subsistence. It is useless to be indusnumber through want of the means of subsistence. It is useless to be indushe negotiated the marriage of the Grand Duchess Olga, sister of the present Czar, with the hereditary Grand Duke of Wurtemburg. After the revolution of 1848 he was appointed Russian plenipo-1854 he was Ambassador at Vienna, and, soon after that Minister of Foreign Affairs. He is sick, worn out bodile. mentally he is as bright and cunning as splendid garden, thrice the size of Sufany Russian diplomatist. He belongs folk, and from the extraordinary vato the old school of Nesselrode and riciy of its climate a sa itarium for the Pozzo di Borgo, speaks half a dozen wealthy invalids of Europe, even if we

est son is Russian Minister to Switzer-

Count Schouvaloff comes from just as

oble a family as Prince Gortschak ff.

His father, Count Andrew Schouvaloff, was Grand Chamberlain to the Czar

Nicholas. The present Count was

brought up in a military school, became

an officer of the Horse Guards at 18,

and an aide-de-camp of the Czar at 25. Before he was 35 he had been appoint-

ed Governor of the Baltic provinces,

and a few years later he was named

Chief of the Police of the Empire. His

Russian plenipotentiary. He was ap-

the death of Baron Brunow. He is an elegant man of society, a handsome fel-

and looks 10 years younger than he is.

revolutionary movement began in 1847, the young Count Julius was elected a deputy to the Diet, and in the next year put himself at the head of the Lands-

Subsequently he became more conservative in his views, sided with Beust, became Minister President and head of the Department of National Defences. The crowning of Emperor Francis Io.

The crowning of Emperor Francis Jo-seph as King of Hungary was to a great * An unsuccessful lover was asked by extent the work of Andrassy.

The chief representatives of Turkey are Caratheodory Pasha and Mehemet
Ali Pasha. The former is a distinguish- ... I she got too proud to speak to me."